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It is Sunday the 5th November 2006 and here is ANARTS with our weekly RTTY broadcast bringing you - cast 1421.
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those of the Broadcast Officer, the Relay Officers, or of
the Society.
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A.N.A.R.T.S. News Bulletin 1421 for 5th of November 2006
The ARRL wants the FCC to throw its support behind a Draft Proposal seeking to have World Radiocommunication Conference 2007 delegates consider a worldwide, secondary Amateur Radio allocation from 5260 kHz to 5410 kHz.
The ARRL included the request in comments <http://www.arrl.org/announce/regulatory/WRC07/WRC-07-Comments-10-27-06.pdf> it filed October 27 in IB Docket 04-286, "Recommendations approved by the Advisory Committee for the 2007 World Radiocommunication Conference." WRC-07 Agenda Item 1.13 will review allocations to all services between 4 and 10 MHz. The League told the FCC that a contiguous band of frequencies in the range of 5 MHz is an important goal of the amateur community -- domestically and internationally.
"There are times when the propagation at 5 MHz bridges a significant gap between the Maximum Usable Frequency when the MUF is below 7 MHz, but the Lowest Usable Frequency is above the next lower Amateur Radio allocation at around 3.8 MHz," the League said, citing the Draft Proposal. "For reliable communications, an Amateur allocation in the vicinity of 5 MHz is the solution."
Originating with ARRL, the Draft Proposal from Informal Working Group 4 follows up on disaster relief-related changes to Article 25 of the international Radio Regulations made at WRC-03.
"The amateur services provide emergency communications on a local, national and international basis as an adjunct to normal communications, and in many cases provide the first information about disasters and serve as the only communications link when communications infrastructures are destroyed," the IWG-4 Draft Proposal background information notes.
Several countries -- including the US, Canada, Finland, Iceland, Norway and the UK -- already have permitted Amateur Radio operation on spectrum between 5250 and 5450 kHz, the ARRL said, citing the Draft Proposal. "It notes that there is a successful history of amateur secondary use of bands in which incumbent primary users are present," the ARRL said, mentioning 30 meters as one example. The ARRL said the five 60-meter channels have been in regular use by US radio amateurs since 2003 "without any instances of interference reported by primary users."
extracted from The ARRL Letter, Vol. 25, No. 44, November 03, 2006

IPS Weekly Solar and Geophysical Report for 27th October to 2nd November, issued on 3rd November by the IPS Radio and Space Services
SUMMARY

Date	27	28	29	30	31	01	02
10cm flux	72	75	73	76	80	87	88
AFr index	3	12	13	6	2	5 (	7 estimated)
Aaus index	6	11	12	8	4	6 (	6 estimated)
T index	-11	-2	1	-16	-0	8	17

Solar flare activity was very low 27th to 1st; and low on 2nd.
Geomagnetic activity observed for the Australian Region was quiet to unsettled on 27th to 30th, and 1st; and quiet on 31st and 2nd.
Southern Australian Ionospheric F2 critical frequencies were depressed 15 per cent to near predicted

on 27th; near predicted on 28th, 31st and 1st; depressed 15 per cent on 29th; depressed 20 to 15 per cent on 30th; and near predicted to 15 per cent enhanced on 2nd.
Forecast for 3rd to 9th November
Solar activity should be low, with the small chance of moderate levels should
solar regions 922 and 921 develop further.
Geomagnetic activity should be mostly quiet to unsettled for the next few days
with an increase in activity levels possible should flare or CME activity eventuate from solar regions 922 and 921.
Frequencies should be mostly near predicted monthly values with depressions of 10-20 per cent likely at times for equatorial regions only.
courtesy of the IPS Radio and Space Services
summary by Pat VK2JPA ANARTS Broadcast Officer

RTDX1102 RTTY DX
VK2SG RTTY DX NOTES FOR WEEK ENDING 2 NOVEMBER (BID RTDX1102)
This week our information came from AA5AU, GU0SUP, I5FLN, DJ3IW, UT5RP, OH2AQ DX Summit and NG3K.
Thank you all!
Friday 27
0000-14081 8R1EA
0039-14080 XQ1KY
0153-18105 XF4DL
0304- 7037 XF4DL
0601- 7040 HQ4R
0740-21085 6K5AQY
1026-14086 TF3FK
1132-14080 VP2AHX via W4WX
1225-14081 VK8NSB
1248-14083 A6/A92DU
1250-14083 XU7ABN
1252-14081 TK1KJ
1434-14083 FS/W3ADX
1451-14086 XF4DL
1504-18105 HZ1IK via DK7YY
1856-14082 5Z4ES
2058-10141 4Z5PN
2114-14084 HQ4R
2320-14081 HL3IB
2334-14083 XU7ABN
Saturday 28
1914-10142 4Z5PN
2107-14087 FM5WD
2113-14081 3C0M via EA5BYP
2249- 7082 FS/W3ADX
2336-18105 XF4DL
Sunday 29
0422-10141 XF4DL
0710-14082 3C0M
1212-14085 CN8IW
1215-14085 EA8RA
1503-18101 XF4DL
1515-14083 FS/W3ADX
1650-14081 3C0M
1807-14085 XE3RBA
1911-10142 4Z5PN
1940-10141 4L1FP via LZ1OT
2108-14081 3C0M
2315-18102 XF4DL
Monday 30
0504-10141 XF4DL
1017-21082 3C0M
1142-14083 VP2MXH
1234-14083 VK2KM
1255-14083 R1FJT

1339-14081 CT3KT
1359-14082 XF4DL
1415-18105 HZ1IK
1434-14077 VP2MHX
1535-14080 C6APR via K3IXD
1556-14081 TO8RR Guadeloupe Island
2128-14083 FS/W3ADX
2130-14082 XF4DL
2314-14080 C6APR
Tuesday 31
0317- 7043 C6APR
0329-10144 XF4DL
0706-14083 TK1KJ
0743-14082 XV2LH
0835-14082 4L1FP via LZ1OT
1444-21082 3C0M
1500-14088 XF4DL
1517-14084 TF3GC
1659-14085 CN8KD
1917- 7037 4L1FP
1922-10142 4Z5PN
2021-14081 TO8RR
2145-14086 XF4DL
Wednesday 1
0009-14088 VP8DIZ
0235-10142 J3/DL5AXX
0240- 7035 XF4DL
0253- 7036 J3/DL5AXX
0447- 7037 YV1RDX
1104-14087 Z33F via IZ8FWN
1223-18104 EK6VA
1235-18103 J3/DL5AXX
1258-18102 CU2AF
1308-18103 CN8KD
1317-18102 FM5JC
1338-18100 CN8IG
1350-18102 4Z4DX
1425-18103 TF3FK
1453-18102 XF4DL
1537-14084 4Z5PN
1631-14084 XU7ABN
1657-14085 3C0M
1838-14082 FG5FI
2015-14083 VK2KM
2030-21081 TG9AKH
2107-14084 J3/KU4J
2140-14089 TI8II
2226- 7036 TA2AU
2230-14083 V25JK
2246-14086 CE1VCZ
2301-14085 HK4QMH
2337- 7037 CN8SG
Thursday 2
0029-14084 J3/KU4J
0034-10134 J3/KU4J
0039- 7037 CN8SG
0058-18105 XF4DL
0130- 7036 TG9AKH
0827-21082 3C0M
0945-14086 IS0CQX
1044-14085 LX8DL via LX1DL
1047-21073 4L1FP
1105-14084 P29SS

1144-14081 TI8II
1218-21082 VQ9LA
1228-21082 TF3PPN
1229-14085 HK6PSG
1308-14089 YB0JIV
1314-18101 V51KC
1445-14082 XF4DL
1639-14080 HK6DOS via EA5KB
1757- 7037 TF3PPN
1933-14082 3C0M
1953-14081 FG5FI
2045-14091 EC8AUZ
2047-28095 TI8II
2202-18104 XF4DL
2347-10142 J3/DL5AXX
Notes of Interest
Cocos Keeling Island, VK9C - Look for W0YG and N0KV October 30-November 20 as VK0CGG. QSL via W0YG.
Micronesia, V6 - JA1KJW, JA1JQY, JI1FOP, and JA8VE as V63JQ, V63JY, V63FP, and V63VE Nov 1-7 QSL via homecall except V63VE via
JF1OCQ.
The VK2SG RTTY DX NOTES are distributed every week via the Winlink network, and are also available on the Internet at URL
http://mailman.qth.net/pipermail/vk2sg-rtty/
and the digital-dx reflector. To subscribe to the digital-dx reflector, send an e-mail message to majordomo@mla.nifty.ne.jp as
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For next week's bulletin send your bandpass and notes of interest to Phil, GU0SUP, at e-mail:
pcooper@guernsey.net
GL with RTTY DX'ing!!!
Don AA5AU

The Ohio/Penn DX Bulletin No. 782 - excerpts
5H, TANZANIA (IOTA Op)
Giovanni (John), I5JHW, will be active as 5H1HW on Zanzibar Island (AF-032) between November 7-22th. Activity will be on SSB and RTTY, using an IC-7000 with a SGC 500 and verticals. QSL via I5JHW, direct or by the bureau.
5H, TANZANIA (IOTA Op)
Sam, F6AML (TX6A), a member of "F6KOP TEAM" will be active from Zanzibar Island (AF-032) between January 18-29th. Activity will be on 80-10 meters CW/SSB with 400 watts and verticals. The callsign will be known later. Sam will pay special attention for west coast NA and JA (Asia) stations. QSL is OK via the bureau or direct with SAE + 1 IRC or with 1 USD for Europe or 2 USDs for the rest of the world.
C3, ANDORRA
Mike, C33IU (K9MW), announced that he will be active on November 4-5th. Suggested frequencies are: 2m for the IARU Contest, 3050-3060 and 7000-7035 kHz. On the November 19th, look for between 1300-1500z on 80/40/17/15 meters. QSL via G0OYH. Visit his Web page at:
http://www.c33iu.eu
EF8, CANARY ISLANDS
Edu, EA8AUW, will be active from URE Las Palmas Section as EF8A during the ARRL 10 Meters Contest (December 9-10th) as a Single-Op/High-Power entry. QSL via EA8AUW.
FT5X, KERGUELEN ISLANDS
Gildas (Gil), TU5KG, has been active as FT5XP/mm in the Austral Sea (in Southern Indian Ocean) on a fishing boat near/around the Kerguelen Islands. He is expected to be active from Port aux Francais, Kerguelen Islands, as FT5XP during the CQWW DX SSB Contest weekend. No accurate dates or times were specified. He will also be on Kerguelen the weekend of November 25-26th (for fuel refill). QSL via F4EFI.

HK0, SAN ANDRES AND PROVIDENCIA
Look for Gerd, DL7VOG, to be active as HKØGU from Providencia Island (IOTA NA-049), November 15th through December 1st. Activity will be on 160-10 meters CW, RTTY and SSB, using an IC-706 MKIIG and vertical Butternut HF9V. For 160 meters, he will set up a vertical (fishing rod style). QSL via the bureau or direct to: Gerd Uhlig, P. O. Box 700332, D-10323 Berlin, Germany.
KH8S, SWAINS ISLAND (Update)
An international team of twelve experienced operators lead by Hrane Milosevic, YT1AD, and co-lead by David Collingham, K3LP, will activate Swains Island, April 3-16th, 2007, using the callsign N8S (November Eight Sugar). Hrane and David have been in direct contact with Larry Gandy, AH8LG, to gain a clear understanding of the island's requirements for permission to operate. The Swains Island permission to operate was confirmed via E-mail from Larry Gandy on October 23rd. Their team has reached an agreement that meets the specified Swain Island requirements.
The N8S DXpedition team includes: Hrane/YT1AD, David/K3LP, Krassimir/K1LZ, Kamal/N3KS, Doug/N6TQS, Eugene/RK3AD, Harry/RA3AUU, Vangelis/SV2BFN, Andrew/UA3AB, Roman/RZ3AA, Stevan/YZ7AA and Vel/YZ1BX. The team will depart to Swains Island on the morning of Monday, April 2, 2007. The boat ride from American Samoa will take approximately 24 hours with the team arriving and setting up camps on Tuesday, April 3, 2007. The operation will begin late Tuesday, April 3, 2007, and will end late Monday, April 16, 2007, providing 14 days of active operation. There will be a CW Camp, SSB Camp and Digital/6 Meter Camp each supplied with three ICOM radios, ACOM amplifiers and required antennas. The team will depart Swains Island around noon on Tuesday, April 17, 2007, and arrive back in American Samoa on the morning of Wednesday, April 18, 2007.
The QSL Manager and Web site information will be provided at a later date. At this time there is no plan for daily on-line logging. The logs will be posted on-line after April 27, 2007.
PACIFIC TRIP
Hrane, YT1AD, informs OPDX that he will be making a couple of stops in the Pacific during the first part of the new year. Look for him to be active as KH8/N9YU from American Samoa between January 24-29th. Also, look for him to be active as 3D2AD from Fiji between January 30th and February 3rd. QSL via YT1AD.
PJ4, NETHERLANDS ANTILLES
Bob, K0NR, will be active as PJ4/K0NR from Bonaire (IOTA SA-006) from October 28th to November 9th. Activity will be on SSB and PSK31 on 30-6 meters. Also, he will be active on FM OSCAR satellites (Grid FK52). QSL to his home callsign.
TO5, MARTINIQUE
Lee, K5UN, will be active as TO5X from November 21-30th. He will operate in the CQWW DX CW Contest (November 25-26th) as a Single-Op/ All-Band entry. QSL to K5UN.
VK8, AUSTRALIA
Stuie, VK8NSB, will be active during both CQWW DX SSB Contest (October 28-29th) and CQWW DX CW Contest (November 25-26th) as a Single-Op/All-Band entry. QSL both activities via VK6NE.
VK9C, COCOS-KEELING
Remember to look for Charlie/W0YG and Barry/N0KV to be activee as VK9CGG between October 30th and November 20th. QSL via W0YG (direct only).
ZC4, UK SOV. BASE AREAS ON CYPRUS
Andy, G3AB, will be active as ZC4VJ during the CQWW DX SSB Contest (October 28-29th) as a Single-Op (possibly as Single-Band 20m) entry. QSL ZC4VJ via the (QRZ.com) address.

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TANZANIA, 5H. Giovanni, I5JHW will be QRV as 5H1HW from Zanzibar Island, IOTA AF-032, from November 7 to 22. QSL to home call.
MALDIVES, 8Q. Michele, IK5ZUI is QRV as 8Q7LM for the next year.
ANDORRA, C3. Mike, K9MW will be QRV as C33IU on November 4 and 5. He will be active using 2 meters in the IARU contest, and on 40 meters as well. QSL via G0OYH.
ANTARCTICA. Adam, K2ARB is QRV as CE8/K2ARB until November 8.

Activity is on 40, 30 and 20 meters CW on his days off. He will also try to check into the Antarctic SSB nets when possible.
NORTH COOK ISLANDS, E5. Bill, N7OU and Bob, W7YAQ will be QRV as E51NOU and E51YAQ, respectively, from Penrhyn Atoll, from November 4 to 18. Activity will be on 80 to 10 meters using mostly CW with some SSB and RTTY. QSL to home calls.
ITALY, I. Members of the Italian Naval Old Rhythmers Club are QRV using only CW as IY1SP/500KCS from Mount Parodi until November 5. This operation marks the first hundred years since the signing of the Berlin International Wireless Telegraphy Convention agreement. QSL via I1SAF.
MARIANA ISLANDS, KH0. Look for RZ3AA, UA3AB and RA3AUU to be QRV as KH0/NP2KY, KH0/KB7YHQ and KH0/K3UY from November 5 to 9.
PUERTO RICO, KP4. Rich, KE3Q will be QRV as WP3R in the ARRL CW Sweepstakes.
BELGIUM, ON. UBA Radio Club stations in Belgium may use the ON60 callsign prefix until February 10, 2007 to mark the 60 years of the UBA, the IARU Society for Belgium.
DENMARK, OZ. Norbert, DL1HTW will be QRV as OZ/homecall from Langeland Island, IOTA EU-172, from November 4 to 11. Activity will be on 80 to 10 meters using SSB and SSTV. QSL to home call.
BONAIRE, CURACAO, PJ2. Bob, K0NR is QRV as PJ4/K0NR from Bonaire, IOTA SA-006, until November 9. Activity is on 30 to 6 meters using SSB and PSK31. He will also be active on the various FM OSCAR satellites from grid FK52. QSL to home call.
CORSICA, TK. Kazik, DL2SBY and Tomi, HA4DX are QRV as TK/homecalls from the small village of Sisco until November 11. Activity is on all HF bands using CW, SSB and digital modes. QSL to home calls.
NAMIBIA, V5. Vlad, UA4WHX is QRV as V51VV using CW and SSB. His length of stay is unknown. QSL to home call.
MICRONESIA, V6. Operators JA1KJW, JA1JQY, JI1FOP and JA8VE will be QRV as V63JQ, V63JY, V63OP and V63VE, respectively, from Pohnpei Island, IOTA OC-010, from November 7 to 9. QSL to home calls.
BERMUDA, VP9. Paul, G4BKI is QRV as VP9KF using only CW from Hamilton Parish, IOTA NA-005, until November 15.
CAMBODIA, XU. John, KF0RQ is QRV as XU7ACQ until November 28 in his spare time. QSL to home call.
TRISTAN da CUNHA, ZD9. Brian, ZD9BCB is QRV from Gough Island, IOTA AF-030, until September 2007. In addition, Andy, ZD9BV is QRV from Tristan da Cunha, IOTA AF-030, and is normally active starting around 1730z on 20, 17 and 15 meters. QSL direct.

The Society can be contacted in the following ways: To Pat VK2JPA via patleeper at optusnet.com.au, or you can drop a line to PO Box 93 Toongabbie NSW 2146.
73’s from Pat VK2JPA broadcast Officer